[COMMUNICATED. Democratic Meeting at Salem.

At a meeting of the Democrats of Salem Precinct, held pursuant to notice, on Saturday the 26th March, Mr. B. Saunders was called to the Chair and T. C. Allen appointed

The object of the meeting was stated by Mr. P. A. Klipstein in a few appropriate remarks, to be, to appoint Delegates to represent this Precinct in the Convention to be

held at Warrenton next Monday.
On motion, it was resolved, that the Chair appoint a Committee of five to select Delegates to said Convention.

The Committee selected consisted of the following gentlemen: P. A. Klipstein, Jas. C. Davis, Geo. L. Cochran, Wm. H. Lake and Chas, Brown, which Committee chose, as delgates, the following gentlemen. W. Riley, T. C. Allen, Bennet Saunders,

B. E. Curlett, Capt. Geo. H. Creel, Robt. Scott, R. B. Horner, Jno. C. Davis, Thomas Maxwell, W. R. Welch, R. C. Bradley, R. A. Lawler. On motion, the Committee was added to

the list of delegates. On motion, it was resolved, that Mr. William D. Scott is the unanimous choice of this meeting, and that the delegates from this precinct be instructed to use all honorable

means to secure his nomination by said Con-The following resolutions were then read and unanimously adopted by the meeting : Resolved, 1st, That we recognize but one mode by which the members of the Democratic party can be held bound to support candidates for any political office, and that is, by a regular Convention

the whole party, constituted in the old-fashioned

and time-honored mode. Resolved, 2nd. That we repudiate all attempts, by precincts or Court-house meetings, to dictate to us a candidate for Congress or any other office. Resolved, 3rd. That we consider ourselves, as Democrats, entirely free to vote in the ensuing Democrats, entirely incoming to our pleasure Congressional election, according to our pleasure and preference, unless a Convention, constituted, as mentioned in the 1st resolution, select a candi-

date for the party.
PENNET SAUNDERS, Chair'n.

MARRIED.

In New Orleans, February 24th, 1859, by the Rev. Dr. Paimer, Col. DAVID M. FULTON, of Mississippi, and Miss EUGENIA FITZHUGH, youngest daughter of John Fitzhugh, of Prince William County, Va.

At Algorine Camp, Tuolumne county, California, on Thursday morning, February 24th, 1859, at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. S. S. Harmon, Col. EDWARD L. R. WIAT, of Jamestown, formerly of Fredericksburg. Virginia, to Miss SARAH E. LEONARD, formerly of Charleston,

OBITUARY.

DIED, on the 18th ult., A. HAMILTON, Ksq. Had he lived until May next, he would have en-Hamilton, D. D., in Fagg's Manor, Pennsylvania, at whose house he breathed his last. The deceased loved the house of God, and was never absent when the sanctuary was opened, unless bindered by some pressing infirmity or other special providence. The doctrines and order of the Presbyterian Church were dear to him, and his faith rested with implicit confidence upon the grace of God as set forth in her standards. The promise of God in Christ was his only stay, and his great comfort in passing through the dark valley. Among many indications of his state of mind as his end approached, he said, "I am full of joy and glory; nd when asked a little later if he was happy in the Lord's presence, he whispered his reply with are dining at that vulgar hour. If you call great distinctness, "Perfectly, perfectly, perfectly." He was the last of his immediate family, and but two sons survive him-one new in Oregon, with whom he had resided for many years, and whom, indeed, he fully intended to follow to the Pacific coast. Divine Providence made other arrangeished by many surviving friends.

DIED, GABRIELLA AUGUSTA, daughter of William C. and Mary F. Yeaton, born on the 7th inst. Zer Her funeral will take place this after-

Dign, in Washington, after a protracted illness, on the 5th instant, at I o'clock, P. M., SUSAN A. HARRISON, wife of Robert M. Harrison, and ldest daughter of the late Samuel Harkness, in the 60th year of her age.

Dien, on Sunday night last, at the residence of her mother, in Culpeper County, of consumption, Miss MILDRED GIBSON, daughter of the late Col. J. C. Gibson. She was a most estimable and pious young lady, and beloved by all who knew

C. 1859	ALMANAC.					
MOON'S PHASES.		SUN		s t	APRIL.	
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HIGH WATER.	29	6	31	5	Wednesday	
APRIL 8, 10h. 38m	30	6	30	5	Thursday	

MARINE LIST. PORT OF ALEXANDRIA-APRIL 7.

Sailed. Schr. William, Snowman, Boston, flour by B. H. Schr. R. H. Shannon, Marts, Boston, by T. J. Mehaffey. Schr. Rebecca Knight, Endicott, Boston, by D.

Schr. H. K. Dunton, Pinkham, Bath, Me., by Schr. Ann D., Newton, New York, by James C. Propeller C. C. Alger, Shore, Philadelphia, by

Wm. H. Fowle & Son. MEMORANDA. Schr. Jane N. Baker, Vannaman, for this port, sailed from Providence, 4th inst. Schr. Elliott, Weaver, from Boston, for this

port, arrived at Holmes' Hole, 3rd inst. Schr. Alex. Henderson, Smith, from Boston, for this port, was in Dutch Island Harbor, 4th inst. Schr. Henry Travers, Jones, from this port, ar

the same of the same CANAL COMMERCE.

ARRIVED, April 7.

Boats F. Bloodgood, Mary Shaw, Geo. Lynn,
John Heimbert, and J. F. Sterling, coal to T. J. Boat John H. Shaw, coal to Frostburg Coal Co. Boats Excelsior, and Oliver Boly, coal to Bor-

Boat Mount Savage, coal to American Coal Co.

FOR RENT.—The brick WAREHOUSE on South Wharves, No. 6, formerly occupied by James Dempsey.
Also, the large frame WAREHOUSE, with brick

back building attached, on South Fairfax street, No. 14, lately occupied by Enoch Grimes. SAMUEL H. JANNEY. ap 8-co3t No. 22 South Fairfax st. VEIL LOST .- On Wednesday last, a BLACK

LACE VEIL was lost on the streets of Alexandria, which the finder is requested to leave at the Office of the Alexandria Gazette, and receive

OST .- Yesterday, a PORTE MONAIE, containing \$7 and a small check on Exchange Bank, endorsed by the owner. A liberal reward will be paid to the finder, on leaving the wallet and its contents at this Office.

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FOR RICHMOND.—The fine schooner Ocean, Captain Aaron, will sail on Saturday, now loading. Apply to the Captain on board at Daingerfield's Wharf, or to

R. I. T. WILSON. VESSELS WANTED.—To load Coal to Philadelphia, New York, Providence, Boston, and other ports, to the North and East. Also freights for small vessels in the Bay. Apply to D. B. SMITH,

Queen street Wharf. SHAWL BORDERING.-Broche and Cashmere SHAWL BORDERING, just received by S. & W. MEYENBERG, Sarepta Hall.

SALT.—1,000 sacks G. A. SALT, daily expec-ted, for sale low from the vessel, by ap 8 J. N. HARPER & CO. 50 MOLASSES HOGSHEADS for sale by KNOX & BRO.

A Strange Craft and Strange Voyage. In the Chicago harbor, a short distance from the Burlington railroad bridge, lies a strange looking craft. It is not easy to describe it. In general appearance it may be likened to a Mississippi flat-boat, of small size, and yet it is very unlike a Mississippi flat boat. "Amidships" is placed a portable steam-engine and boiler of twelve-horse power, which connects by shaft gearing with a paddle-wheel at the stern, the propelling apparatus of the craft.

The "hull" (if not the whole) of this markable steamboat is built of material known to lumbermen as two-inch plank.

The name of this singular craft is Geneva, and if its appearance is remarkable, its mission is still more so. It is bound for Pike's Peak! It is the design of its commander to leave this port next week, (the day will be hereafter announced,) and steam through the Illinois and Michigan canal to the Illinois river, down the Illinois to the Mississippi, up the Mississippi to the Missouri, up the Missouri to the Platte, up the Platte to the South Fork, up the South Fork to the city of Auraria, the golden depot of that Pike which lifts its snowy Peak in the dis-

The officers and crew of the Geneva will number about twenty-five men, and Captain Bartholomew C. Yates is commander. Her cargo will consist of provisions for six months and the machinery for a saw-mill to be erected at Auraria on the arrival of the craft at that point. The steam-engine used to propel the boat on her long voyage will then be degraded to the task of propelling a saw-

The length of this novel voyage is somewhat over fifteen hundred miles. Captain Yates expects to accomplish it within three months, provided no unlooked for delay should happen. The greatest difficulty is to be encountered in the Platte. This stream | ly excitement manifested was the anxiety of Carne is one which has never been navigated by the "sovereigns," as the day advanced, to steamboats to any great distance. It is rep- ascertain the state of the polls. The nomiresented as a wide and shallow stream, with swift currents and numerous sandbars .-But should the Geneva find it swollen by the spring floods, as is not unlikely she will, the navigation may not be very difficult .-Drawing only ten inches of water, she will be able to proceed with sixteen or eighteen inches in the channel .- Chicago Times.

The Right of Visitation.

(As construed by a lady of Bloomsbury square, who knows nothing whatever about politics.)-No lady or gentleman should think of paying a visit carly in the morning, as the chances are the ladies are not up, or scarcely recovered from the fatigues of the first thing in the morning.) If the young tered his eighty-ninth year. The evening of this nets on, your good sense should tell you not long life he spent with his son, the Rev. Alfred to stop two or three hours, as you should conclude that, being dressed, they are naturally anxious to go out. If you are accidentally shown into a wrong room, good manners should teach you not to take any notice of any articles of wearing apparel that may be Col. Jackson .- Rich. Enq. scattered about the place, for the industrious purpose of being mended. If there is a smell of roast mutton steaming through the house at two or three o'clock, you should be-

not jump to the conclusion that the family and find the young lady of the house busily engaged in talking earnestly to a handsome gentleman in the conservatory, or whispering lowly in a recess, or looking confidenally out of a window together, you should ment for him, and his days were closed with his take the hint, and rightly consider that you younger son in Chester county, Pennsylvania. His are one too many, by retiring as speedily as end was peace, and his memory will long be cher- possible. If you have the right of visiting, constructions upon his answers, by secretly believing that the family is in, when he hatly tells you they are all out. If you are always denied admission, your vanity should not blind you to the fact that it is highly

probable that you may not be an especial favorite with the fair inmates of that establishment, and you should refrain, in delicacy to them, as well as out of respect to yourself, from calling there again. You are not justified in carrying the right of visitation to some little notice of them. If you will call | Va. 6's 983; Mo. 6's 873. some five or ten minutes before the dinner hour, you have no right to take it as an affront because you are not invited to remain

Death of a Seventh Son.

Dr. Henry West, known far and wide as a Seventh Son Doctor, died at his residence in Hallsville, in Chester, Friday, of lung fever, at the age of about 78 years. Patients have visited him from every quarter of New England, from Canada, New York and the Far West, and though strange it may seem, by faith in him they say they have been cured without the aid of any medicine of consequence. Removing scrofula, or king's evil was his particular forte. His mode was to tie a small coin around the neck of the patient, to lay his hands on the portions afflicted, just before sunrise and after sunset, and at the same time to ask the help of God. in the cure. The doctor would take no recompense, but people secretly left whatever felt disposed to give .- Manchester (N. H.) Mirror.

A LEXANDRIA CANAL COMPANY.—The annual general meeting of this Company, will be held in the Council Chamber, in the town of Alexaldria, on the 1st Monday in May next, at 11 o'clock, A. M. W. B. PRICE, Clerk.

N sortment of Linen Cambric Hemstitched and Bordered HANDKERCHIEFS, which I offer on Bordered HANDKBILE.
the most accommodating terms.
W. N. BERKLEY.

CORN PLANTERS.—Just received a supply of first rate CORN PLANTERS, guaranteed to work well, for sale by DRAYTON G. MEADE.

FRENCH WORKED COLLARS and [ap 8]

BACON.-10,000 pounds Sides, Shoulders and Hams, for sale by J. N. HARPER & CO. ap 8

BUTTER.-50 Kegs and Tubs of Goshen and Glades Butter, for sale by J. N. HARPER & CO.

PORTLAND SUGAR AND SYRUP. 200 BARRELS A. A. SUGARS por 300 BBLS. SYRUP, just received per Schr. William. For sale by FOWLE & CO.

ap 5-d2w 10,000 OSAGE ORANGE PLANTS 50,000 PEABODY STRAWBERRY PLANTS, at the Vernondale Nursery, near Alex-

andria, Vs. Apply to ap 7-3t* C. GILLINGHAM & SON. EXCHANGE ON NEW YORK, for sale at

lowest rates, by CLOVER SEED .- A constant supply of fresh Clover Seed on hand, for sale by WHEAT & BRO.

DOTATOES .- Early Seed, Early June, Jersey POTATOES.—Bally WHEAT & BRO.

WHITE WASH BRUSHES—Brushes of all kinds; Feather Dusters, for sale by JOHN OGDEN. WEST & SON'S NO. 1 ETHEREAL OIL, for sale and at all times for sale and at all times, on hand, by
24
J. T. YOUNG.

COARSE SALT .- Salt for Fish packing or Agricultural purposes, for sale by WHEAT & BRO.

BY YESTERDAY EVENING'S MAILS.

TRIAL OF MR. JAS. GREEN .- The Circuit siding, is now in session. The case of Jas. on the plea of relationship with the accused. Eighteen of the twenty four composing the George Jones, indicted for an assault on F. renire, took their seats, as competent jurors, and Mr. Hume, the Sheriff, found but little difficulty in getting the remaining number. At 3 o'clock the jury were balloted for and sworn, and the case on the part of the Commonwealth, was opened by Mr. Brooke, who spoke about one hour. Mr. R. E. Scott, one of the counsel for Mr. Green, followed the Commonwealth's Attorney .-His address occupied about two hours in its delivery. The trial, it is supposed, will

last until to-morrow evening, (Friday.)
Mr. Chilton, of Washington City, who was formerly one of Mr. Green's counsel, has been compelled to abandon the case, having been trial is now progressing in the Federal Capillief, was called to the Chair, and George T. probably reach Annapolis early this after-Jno. M. Forbes, esq., takes Mr. C.'s place. The Commonwealth's Attorney, is assisted by no one, Mr. Ratcliffe, of Washington, being prevented from attending, by the same causes which account for the non-appresume, will close this evening and to-morrow will be occupied by the arguments in the

CHARTER ELECTION .- The annual election of municipal officers took place in Richmond A. Green, and C. S. McDaniel. on Wednesday. The Whig says:-The onnation of an Opposition ticket having encountered the disapproval of many Opposition voters, the election was resolved into a "free fight," for the contested offices, or something so like it that no indication of party strength is afforded by the result. The polls in one of the wards, Monroe, will be kept open two days longer. If the returns given are correct all the old officers are re-elected. Mr. Mayo is re-elelected Mayor by a large

GEN. JACKSON'S GOLD SNUFF BOX .- A private letter from Nashville informs us that Andrew Jackson, having been called Col. previous evening, or too unnerved to be visi- away to his plantation very suddenly to atble. (N. B .- None but tradesmen call the tend to important business affairs, as well as to bring his family to "The Hermitage." ladies whom you are visiting have their bon- has been compelled to defer the formal pr sentation of the gold box recently awarded by him to Gen. Ward Burnett, under the vote of the New York Regiment, until Gen. Burnett (who is Surveyor General) can go to Kansas and Nebraska to place his deputies in the field, and return to Nashville to meet

An election was held on the 21st ult., at Washington, Rappahannock county, for Officers of the 34th Regiment of Virginia Mililieve the representation that is made to you The following Officers were elected: Col. W. W. Deatherage; Lt. Col. B. F Kinsey; 1st Major, C. Hattux; 2d Major, F. H.

by the mamma, that it is a hot luncheon, and The Fauquier White Sulphur Springs are

COMMERCIAL.

The Markets. BALTIMORE, April 7 .- Flour closed steady; Howyou should tutor yourself to believe what the and street and Ohio \$6.25. Wheat closed quiet dria-a large and capacious Hotel, and that servant tells you, and not put suspicious white \$1.50@\$1.70 for fair to prime; do. red \$1.45 is about to be suplied." Now Sir, in regard closed steady; mess \$18,75. Whiskey closed dull; Ohio at 28c.

NEW YORK, April 7 .- Flour is heavy partially

Large Sale of Tobacco.

We have been favored with the following account of the sale of 100 hhds. of Tobacco, from the estate of William B. B. Cross, esq., near Upper Mariboro'. The handling and conditioning of this and partake of it .- Punch's Pocket Book for Tobacco reflects the highest credit upon the mana-

ger, Mr. Basil B. Brown. Sale of One Hundred Hogsheads of Tobacco, for William B. B. Cross, esq., in lots as follows: the First 8 hhds, at an average of............\$8 25 ond 29 hhds, at an average of 6 871 Fourth 15 hhds, at an average of..... ifth 13 hhds. at an average of 8 25 Of the abovelot of Tobacco, 21 hhds. were sold Fifth at \$12:3 ditto at \$11: 16 ditto at \$10: 20 do. at \$9.

New York Cattle Market, April 6. Beef Cattle are firm, 3000 head sold to-day, market closing active. Sheep firm and active; sales of 3,500 head. Swine dull.

ALEXANDRIA TRADE. - During the year, ending the 30th of June, 1858, there were Exported from the port of Alexandria-QUANTITY. Coal......1,116 tons. Hewn Timber......260 tons. Cotton Manufactures

Norfolk...... 561,185 Tappahannock.....

corn, shingles, staves, and heading; and Alexan-SLEEVES, of the latest styles, just received, dria more wheat.

[ap 8] W. N. BERKLEY. dria more wheat.

The following is the total value of the Imports

the Virginia Districts for the year ending June 30th, 1858: Norfolk 174,997 Tappahannock.....

NEW YORK, April 5 .- State stocks and railway bonds were firm to-day, and somewhat at an advance. Tennessee's brought 932, and Missoure's 881, an advance of 1@1 P cent. in each since yesterday. The State authorities of North Carolina yesterday awarded at Raleigh \$300,000 of the half million new sixes to some New York parties. a portion for account of Western bankers, at 97‡ @ 98, and the remainder, \$200,000, at 93 to 101 to other bidders, some of them in North Carolina, who will probably avail of the privilege of paying

in the money at Raleigh instead of New York.

Virginia's sold this morning at 984.

The prospect of peace in Europe had advanced some of the leading English stocks before the sailing of the New York. g of the New York. The receipts at the Custom House yesterday amounted to \$123,574; total in the Subtreasury, \$7,593,524.

Mobile, April 4 .- The total increase in the receipts of cotton at all the ports to date, is about 794,000 bales. The exports from this port to Great Britain during the past week were 13,000 bales.— From New Orleans the exports to England during the week were 43,000 bales, and to Havre 3,000. Exchange on London, in this market, is firm at B cent. Freights to Liverpool declined to

"HILDREN'S CARRIAGES, for sale by JOHN OGDAY. | sug 18-dtf

LOCAL ITEMS. COUNTY COURT .- YESTERDAY .- Writs of Court of Fauquier County, Judge Tyler pre- Capias were issued against George Marcy, indicted for assault and battery; John Don-Green, for killing Quinton Carver at the War- alson, George Marcy, and Peter Sherman, renton Springs last summer, was commenced indicted for wilful trespass; John Bowling on Tuesday. The Warrenton Whig says:—
"Jas. V. Brooke, esq., was appointed by the Court, prosecuting attorney, in place of Col. Wm. H. Payne, who desired to be excused appear to answer the charges against them. A nolle prosequi was entered in the case of

to George L. Stewart.

Several civil cases of no public interest were disposed of, and the Court adjourned till this morning at 11 o'clock.

FIRE DEPARTMENT .- A meeting of the Delegates from the different Fire Companies, for the purpose of organizing a Fire Department, was held at the Engine House of the Sun Fire Company, on the night of the 6th inst. Stephen Shinn, esq., of the Re-Whittington, of the Friendship, appointed noon. Secretary. The following named Delegates answered to their names:

Friendship-Geo. T. Whittington, Wm. pearance of Mr. Chilton. The evidence, we Walker, Jas. W. Atkinson, W. J. Higdon, and Wm. Underwood.

Sun-Hugh Latham, Milton Glassgow, F. Knight, John A. Rudd, and H. Webster. Relief-Stephen Shinn, C. W. Neale, S.

Hydraulion-Benjamin Barton and R. L. Chief Engineer-John L. Smith.

There were no Delegates from the Star The following resolution, offered by Geo.

T. Whittington, was adopted. Resolved, That a Committee be appointed consisting of one member from each company, to draft a constitution and by-laws, for the government of the Department, and to report to the Department permanent officers. On motion, the Chairman and Chief Engi-

neer were added to the Committee. The committee consist of the following:-Geo. T. Whittington, Hugh Latham, I. Louis Kinzer, B. Barton, S. A. Green, Stephen Shinn and John L. Smith.

As the Departments could not properly organize until the Committee on By-Laws, &c., had reported, they adjourned to meet at the same place, on the 20th inst. We are glad to notice that we are to have a Fire Department in our midst. It should be productive of a great deal of good. It ought to bring the delegates of the different companies often together, and be the means of the companies' acting together in better harmony and good

ALEXANDRIA HOTELS .- I see in the local columns of the Alexandria Gazette, March 31st, an article copied from the columns of the Blue Ridge Republican, in which the writer speaks of the vast improvements, and the great benefits that are about to accrue therefrom, all of which is highly gratifying. He concludes his article by saying, "one thing has been always wanting in Alexan-(a.\$1.52. Corn closed quiet; yellow 80@82c.; white to Hotels, I beg to differ with the writer .-74@77c. Provisions dull; bacon sides 92; pork Alexandria is, at this time, and has been for many years, well supplied with Hotels. I will state for the benefit of the traveling public that Alexandria has at this time, three first class Hotels, either of which are three first class Hotels, either of which are the works of the work lower: State, \$5.00@\$5.50; Ohio \$6.40@\$6.60; capacious enough to supply the wants of Southern \$6.006c \$6.50. Wheat closed heavy; transient sojourners, among us. The Mar-Southern and white 170c. Corn closed very dull; shall House kept by Mrs. M. V. Maddux and mixed 89c.; yeilow 87@89c. Pork closed dull; J. Fox, will rank in Point of accommodation thread. They Hem. Fell, Gather, and Stitch in a mess \$17.376 \$17.75; prime \$12.506 \$13.62 - with any Hotel in the State. The City children in the room, politeness should Lard closed dull, at 107@114c. Whiskey closed Hotel, under Heflebower & Roberts, inferior prompt you (be you bachelor or not) to take | dull at 27@271c. Stocks generally are higher. to none. The Mansion House under Stew-

In regard to the enlarging and beautifying the exterior of the Mansion House it will, as the writer says, add to the improve- durability, case of management, and adaptation to range it so that the different lines of communication will lay over at this place, all night, and then you may look for remuneration in catering for the public.—Blue Ridge Republed depot, and with their agents. In 10—eo2m

The writer of the foregoing communication seems to have misconceived our remarks, in regard to the Alexandria Hotels. We said nothing as to their character. We spoke highly of the Marshall House, in the spoke highly of the Marshall House, in the N., 12 mo., cloth, \$1.25.

Tressilian and His Friends, by Dr. R. Shelton very same paper, and have always heard a good report of the City Hotel. In speaking Mackenzie, ed. "Noctes Ambrosiana," 12 mo., of the size of the different Hotels we alluded as much to the present Mansion House as to the others. In speaking of "a large and capacious Hotel" we meant such as "Brown's," of Washington, and the "Exchange," of Richmond, and if such a one has not been needed in Alexandria, heretofore, we venture to say that our correspondent will consent to the necessity before the year is out-and for more than one, perhaps .- Blue Ridge Rep.

FISH MARKET.-Yesterday there was a slight increase in the number of herring arriving; they sold at from \$10 to \$101 per thousand. The quantity of Shad was about 1. What it is; Part 2, How attained; Part 3, Prothe same as for some days past and prices range from \$15 to \$17 per hundred.

C. Charles, Part 3, How attained; Part 3, Progress and power—by Rev. W. E. Boardman, 1 vol. 12 mo., cloth, \$1. For sale by JAMES ENTWISLE & SON,

INCENDIARY ATTEMPT .- A second attempt to fire the dwelling of the Misses Herbert, on King street, was made on Wednesday night last-burnt matches, lamp wick satuated with camphene, and other combustible materials were found in the front door way yesterday morning. No discovery has been made of the perpetrator of this act.

FOUND DROWNED .- William King, the man who fell from the schooner Ann Pickerell, on Sunday night, was yesterday evening discovered floating in the dock, at the ing discovered floating in the dock, at the Gardening for the South, or the Kitchen and foot of Duke street.

Council Chamber, in this city, on the 2d of

Mr. George A. Tavenner, formerly of this eity, is now engaged in the practice of the Law, in Dubuque, Iowa. We wish him success in his new home. TAMMERED BAR IRON, Plough Plates,

and Land Sides-a supply of the above article, now in store, and for sale at the lowest market rates. Also, an assertment of ROLLED PLOUGH PLATES, made of Refined Iron. GEO. T. BALDWIN, No. 13. North Fairfax street.

NEGROES WANTED .- I wish to purchase any number of NEGROES, for which I will pay liberal prices. Those wishing to sell, will do well to call on me before selling, at my old stand, well to call on me before at West End, Alexandria, Va.

JOSEPH BRUIN.



BY MAGNETIC TELEGRAPH.

The Rhode Island Election. PROVIDENCE, April 6 .- The American and Republican State ticket was chosen today, except the Lieutenaut Governor and Treasurer, of whom there was no choice. The Legislature is largely Republican .-A license to keep an ordinary was granted Brayton, American-Republican, is elected to Congress in the Western District but there was no choice in the Eastern District in consequence of there having been two Republican candidates. The aggregate Congressional vote in this district was upward of 6,000, of which about 1,500 was Democratic.

> The Arrival of Lord Lyons. BALTIMORE, April 7 .- The British steam frigate Curacoa, with Lord Lyons as passenger, passed the Capes last evening. She will

The Southern Pacific Railroad.

NEW ORLEANS, April 6 .- The Marshall (Texas) News states that the suit of the State vs. the Pacific Railway Company, for the forfeiture of their charter, has been decided in favor of that Company.

Non-arrival of the Canada. HALLEAX, April 7 .- There are no signs of the Canada, from Liverpool, now fully due. Trial of Mr. Sickles.

The trial of Hon. Daniel E. Sickles, for killing P. B. Key, was continued in Washington yesterday, and a number of witnesses were examined, who testified in refeence to

THE WILLCOX & GIBBS' REVOLVING LOOPER SEWING MACHINE.

Capticates at sight, and becomes a Household Divinity, as its utility is demonstrated in practical use.

TIME undersigned desires to place this Machine Defore the public solely upon its merits, con-vinced that it will establish itself as a general favorite with all classes, and particularly among

The Sewing done by the REVOLVING LOOPER (which, with other novel and important devices embraced in this machine, are covered by RECENT PATENTS) is superior to that done by any other Single Thread Machine, each loop of the stitch being twisted half a revolution after it has been drawn through its predecessor, by which means a firmer and more secure stitch is obtained than has hitherto been accomplished by Sewing Machines of this class, producing a seam for all practical purposes, equal to that of any Double fuchine, possessing at the same time the advantage of greater simplicity. The beauty and accuracy of its mechanism is exhibited in the fact that t is capable of making. 4.000 STITCHES PER MINUTE.

This Machine is comparatively NoiseLESS IN ITS OPERATION, which ladies will regard as a desideratum, and as all kinds of work can be done on the WILLCOX & GIBBS' MACHINE; and it is not in the least liable to derangement, (even in the hands of the most inexperienced,) AND NEVER DROPS STITCHES, it must commend itself every-

where, as emphatically
THE MACHINE FOR THE FAMILY. Prices \$25 to \$35, with Table and Treadle Complete.

It will be observed, that no pains or expense has been spared by the Manufacturer in the production se Machines, as the workmanship will compare favorably with the highest priced Sewing Mahines in the market, and as the parts are all made interchangable, they can be readily replaced in case of accident. For sale by
ap 7-3t
C. C. BERRY, 72 King st.

GROVER & BAKER'S

FAMILY SEWING MACHINES. NEW STYLES-PRICES FROM \$50 TO \$125.

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